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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed August 7, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

In the claims:

Cancel claims 11-13 and 17.

Amend the claims as follows.

--1. (Amended) A composition, comprising:

a catalyst;

a first material resistant to oxidation up to about 3.0 Volts vs. SHE; and

a non-electrolytic material different than the catalyst,

wherein the catalyst is distributed on the first material with a load between about 5 percent and about 95 percent, and the composition composes a fuel cell electrode.

14. (Amended) The composition of claim 1, wherein the first material comprises an oxide.

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